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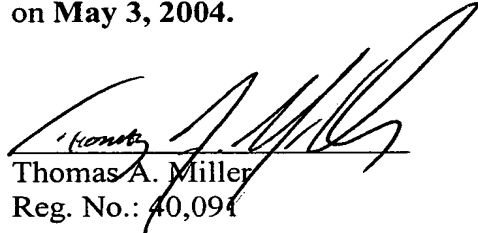
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This petition is made under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a). Transmitted herewith are inventor declarations executed by joint inventors David Eby, Aaron W. Smith and Gilius A. Gaska for themselves and on behalf of their nonsigning coinventor, Jayson Serrault.

Further submitted herewith is a statement of fact by Thomas A. Miller in which he relates that attempts to secure inventor Serrault's signature on an inventor declaration and assignment for the above-identified patent application have been unsuccessful, based upon his firsthand knowledge of such attempts.

The last known residential address for joint inventor Jayson Serrault is:

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On the basis of these facts and for the reasons submitted herewith, it is respectfully requested that the Commissioner accord this application status under 37 C.F.R. §1.47.

The petition fee of \$130.00 is enclosed herewith. If there are any additional fees due, the Commissioner is directed to charge or debit Deposit Account No. 13-2855 under order number 29618/38938. Should any questions arise over the form or

substance of this petition and attachments, the office is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number and address listed below.

Respectfully submitted for,

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